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The district court Monday afternoon finished the hearing of a motion for a new trial in the case of the State vs. Crockett Daggs for the killing of Mrs. May Harrison, and the motion was overruled.

The defense will take an appeal and Judge McKeown fixed Daggs' appeal bond at \$15,000 thereby necessitating a schedule of \$30,000. This is perhaps the largest bond ever ordered in Pontotoc county.

The defense has twenty days in which to make said bond, and in case same cannot be made in that time Crockett Daggs will begin his term of twenty years in the penitentiary.

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STORMS KILL 225 PEOPLE AND INJURE ABOUT 700

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THOUSANDS ARE MADE HOMELESS

Belated Reports Tend to Increase the Enormity of the Tornado's Destruction and State the Path of the Storm Covered a Wide Territory

Figures compiled from reports out of Nebraska, Iowa, Indiana, Illinois and Michigan show 225 dead and 694 injured as a result of storms Sunday and Monday.

Omaha reports that of the 202 known dead within the area covered by the storm that hit that city, 152 were residents of Omaha. The remaining dead are scattered over a considerable range of territory, with Council Bluffs reporting 12, Yutan, Neb., 16; Berlin, Neb., 7; Glenwood, Iowa, 5; Neola, Iowa 2; Bartlett, Iowa, 3. The same cities and towns report an aggregate of 400 injured and 450 homes demolished.

Other reports on Sunday and Monday disturbances show 5 people killed and 50 hurt at Chicago; 1 dead near Sterling, Ill.; 18 killed at Ralston, Neb.; 2 dead at Des Moines, Ill.; 18 killed and 250 hurt at Terre Haute, Ind., and 275 homes destroyed; 3 killed at Flag Springs, Mo.

Fire broke out in the debris of many wrecked buildings in the Nebraska metropolis, and these were menaces for some time, as the fire companies were hindered by fallen walls and blockaded streets. A heavy rain followed the wind, however and drenched the hundreds of homeless people, but also put out the flames.

152 Killed in Omaha.

Omaha, Neb., March 24.—With the death list over 200 and injured apparently 400, Omaha and the surrounding territory in Nebraska and Iowa tonight faced the problem of housing the thousands rendered homeless by last night's tornado. Of the dead, 152 were residents of Omaha.

The number of buildings destroyed here are said to be in the neighborhood of 1,200 and the property loss

is expected to reach several million dollars.

Wide Territory Affected.

Belated reports coming to Omaha tend to increase the enormity of the tornado's destruction and indicate that a much wider territory had been first shown. Next to Omaha, where in the path of the storm than was the death list probably will be about 100, Yutan and Ralston, Neb., reported sixteen and fourteen deaths respectively, and Council Bluffs twelve. The hospitals and homes tonight are full of injured many of whom have not yet been identified, apparently because their friends are either dead or among the injured.

Terre Haute, Ind., March 24.—Eighteen people known to have been killed, 250 more or less seriously injured, 275 homes destroyed and other property damage estimated at nearly a million dollars was the toll of the tornado that devastated Terre Haute and vicinity last night. Tonight the officials in charge of the rescue work say the list of dead will be increased as the searchers clear away the debris.

Hundreds of homeless tonight are being cared for by charitable institutions and citizens, while the wrecked district is being patrolled by Company B, First Regiment, Indiana National Guard, and the local police force.

Council Bluffs, Iowa, March 24.—Each succeeding hour tonight tended to increase the list of Iowa's dead and injured due to the tornado. Reports from numerous places during the day added the enormity of the destruction.

Chicago, Ill., March 24.—Five people were killed, fifty injured, thirty-two buildings wrecked and scores of structures damaged by a storm which swept over this city and its suburbs early this morning.

This Date in History.

- 134—Lord Baltimore's first colony landed in Maryland.
- 1744—Lotteries were authorized by law in Massachusetts.
- 1780—Joseph Ritner, governor of Pennsylvania 1835-9, born in Berks County, Pa. Died in Carlisle, Pa., Oct. 16, 1869.
- 1807—Abolition of the slave trade in the British Empire.
- 1820—Jesuits banished from Russia by decree of Czar Alexander.
- 1825—The University of Virginia was opened to students.
- 1864—Owen Lovejoy, noted anti-slavery statesman and orator, died in Brooklyn, N. Y. Born in Albion, Me., Jan. 6, 1811.
- 1871—The first German imperial Reichstag was opened at Berlin.
- 1901—Charlotte M. Yonge, noted English writer, died. Born in 1823.
- 1912—Dr. Emilio Gonzalez Haverro was appointed provisional president of Paraguay.

PEOPLE MAY SETTLE SCHOOL MATTER

WILL LIKELY HAVE OPPORTUNITY TO VOTE ON THE QUESTION OF ABOLISHING STATE INSTITUTIONS.

Since the legislature in the regular session failed to touch the proposition of abolishing certain schools in the state, and thereby failed to act on the recommendation of Governor Cruce in his first message to the legislative body concerning that question, there is every probability that the people may have an opportunity to settle the school question at an election to be held on August 5, this year. At the same time the people will say whether or not they want Section 9, Article 9 changed, according to the senate joint resolution by Senator Roddie, which has been approved by the governor.

The matter of submitting to the people the abolishment of schools has been discussed freely by members of the legislature and Governor Cruce during the past several days and it is understood that a resolution will be introduced and approved if passed, calling for such an election.

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tion and that to be held on the same day as the election on the railroad proposition. In fact it is said that the governor approved the Roddie resolution with the understanding that the other election should be held at the same time. Not that it was compulsory that such arrangement be made to secure the approval of the railroad resolution, but it was the purpose to submit any and all constitutional amendments at the same time.

Abolishing schools was probably a little more of an undertaking than the members of the legislature wanted to tackle. The governor in a recent speech before the members told

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them if they undertook such a job they would probably be criticized severely, that it was a very unpopular political move to make. Evidently everyone of them agreed he was telling the truth and proceeded to let it alone. Failing to secure any action from them through direct legislation the governor recommended in his message to the special session that the question should be submitted to the people and let them settle it. The responsibility would be shifted from the members of the legislature to the people, a wise solution of the matter.

In his message to the special session the governor stated that if it was the intention to keep all the schools he desired that adequate appropriations be made to maintain them as they should be, and it is quite likely that appropriation bills for the schools will not be disapproved by him. But that does not mean that all schools for which appropriations are made will get them. The appropriation for any schools which may be abolished at the election on the proposition will immediately revert back to the state treasury. Even though all the state schools receive full appropriations at the special session it does not mean that they can go ahead and spend the money. They may use enough to keep them going until the election but if they should be cut off then the money would stop.

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rectly interested in seeing the schools retained are wondering how the matter will be submitted. Governor Cruce suggested that each school should be considered purely on its own merit and this is the way it will be done. The question will be submitted on the proposition of abolishing schools and the affirmative vote will be for the abolishment, the negative against it. Then it will be arranged to vote on each institution separately. It is the understanding that the proposition will be the abolishment of five district agricultural schools excluding the Panhandle Agricultural school at Goodwell, and six other schools including the preparatory school at Claremore, school of mines at Wilburton, the Oklahoma College for Women at Chickasha and three state normal schools. What three of the latter will be closed out if they are at all, will be decided at the election. It is possible that the general result will determine that, as the three schools receiving the largest vote probably will be retained.

Governor Cruce's attitude concerning the school matter is well known and he is heartily in favor of submitting the proposition to the people as it is they who have to pay for the upkeep of them. If they should decide, however, none should be dropped it will be the policy of the administration to make sufficient appropriations for the proper conduct of the schools no matter what it may be.

Mrs. I. Harris wishes to announce that owing to illness in the family, she will have to recall the invitations for her reception next Wednesday, three of the latter will be closed out.



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Fashion decrees that the women's new style skirts will be much narrower than at present. The first question that arises in one's mind is, how can they?

And now that element of easterners who think only Oklahoma can put on a first class cyclone will wonder where our state was during the awful storms that have recently visited other states.

It is to be hoped that people of our city will patronize the lyceum course which has been contracted for by the Epworth League. Every number will be first class and worth the price of admission.

The Sharpshooter.

Rev. B. F. Stegall of Pontotoc was guest of Rev. Chas. L. Brooks a short time Tuesday. Mr. Stegall is an old timer in his community and stated that he was the man who established the famous camping ground at Connerville, the famous fishing place near Pontotoc.

Mrs. Charley Taylor returned to her home at Sherman after a visit to her mother Mrs. Caldwell, on North 8th street.

RAILROAD TIME TABLE

at Ada, Okla.

MISSOURI, KANSAS & TEXAS RY.

SOUTH
No. 111 Lv. Daily 11:25 A. M.
No. 113 Lv. Daily 10:40 P. M.

NORTH
No. 112 Ar. Daily 4:14 P. M.
No. 114 Ar. Daily 5:20 A. M.

OKLAHOMA CENTRAL RAILWAY

TRAIN GOING EAST
12 Lv. Daily 2:55 P. M.
TRAIN FROM EAST
11 Ar. Daily 10:05 A. M.

TRAIN GOING WEST
1 Lv. Daily 3:30 P. M.
TRAIN FROM WEST
4 Ar. Daily 2:55 P. M.

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508—Eastern Express 10:40 A. M.
610—Meboer 4:05 P. M.

SOUTH BOUND.
509—Meteor 11:35 A. M.
507—Sherman Exp. 4:53 P. M.

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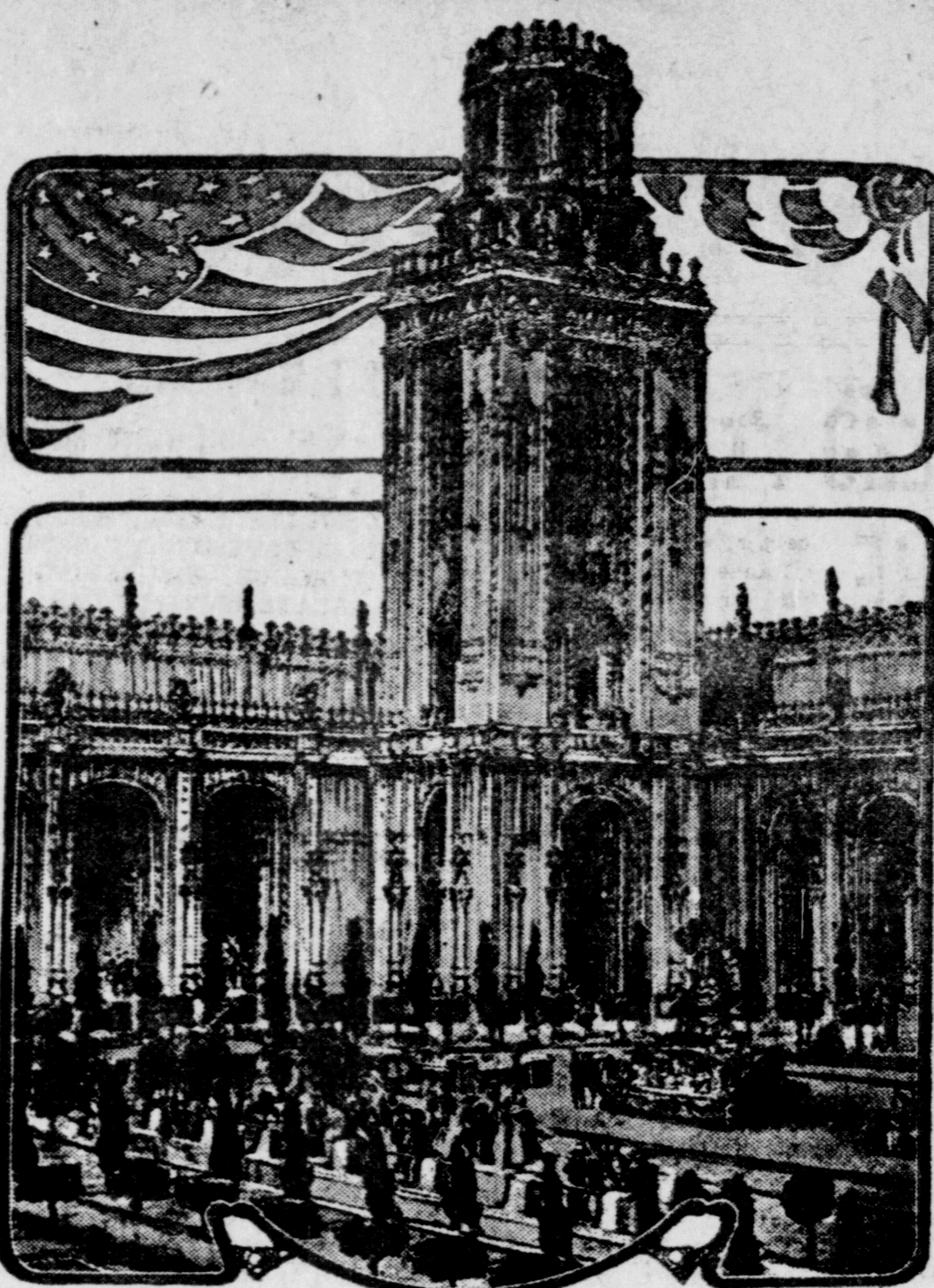
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Sunrise Circle Meeting

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There were five new subscribers for the Voice and one renewal.

Mrs. Emory read a splendid piece from the Voice "An Indian's Defense of the Bible." Mrs. W. B. Jones read one on "Increasing the Membership."

A committee was appointed to visit the sick and strangers also, and to meet the strangers at the church.

Adjourned with Society benediction to meet with Mrs. C. F. Green next meeting.

Louisiana Woodmen in Session.

Baton Rouge, La., March 25.—An invading host of Woodmen of the World captured the Louisiana capital today and will remain in possession of the city until Friday. The occasion is their annual state convention which met this morning with an attendance of nearly two thousand members of the order. Mayor Reaux welcomed the visitors and presented them with the key to the city. A monster open air barbecue has been prepared as the leading feature of the entertainment program.

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GOVERNOR SUBMITS

REFORM BILLS

Oklahoma City Ok., March 24.—A jail sentence or a term in the penitentiary, within the discretion of the court or jury, for operation of a gambling game or of any character was recommended to the legislature in a special message by Gov. Cruce read today.

To the regular session this recommendation was made, not, however, in such specific terms, and to it was added that the conducting of a gambling house should be made nothing short of a felony. A bill dealing with the subject on that basis failed to pass.

Particular attention was called in today's message to race track gambling, which, the governor says, is productive of the most harm. He recommends, also, that it be made a misdemeanor to bet money or other thing of value on any game of chance, or the outcome of any contest of any kind between people or animals. The recommendation is broad enough to

include all forms of gambling, with penalty sufficiently elastic it is believed, to overcome objections made heretofore.

The Governor renewed his recommendations for a law that will tend to minimize the evil of carrying concealed weapons. Elimination of violators of the prohibition law, the gambling law and the law against carrying concealed weapons will do more toward obtaining real economy, the governor said, than the passage of almost any number of other laws.

Exemption of mortgages from taxation was another subject presented. The governor says that in all the legislation dealing with this subject the paramount matter has been how to best subvert the interests of the borrowers of money. In his judgment no greater service could be rendered the borrower than to entirely remove the tax. Existing laws, he says, carry a discrimination against the Oklahoma citizen who has money to lend and takes a mortgage while the foreign lender escapes the burden.

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Miss Pearl Foster is back in Ada after a stay of several months in Nashville, Tenn.

Misses Sparger and Williams of Lehigh were shopping in the city Monday.

The Sharpshooter.

J. H. Chappell went to Oklahoma City Monday afternoon on a pleasure trip.

Bids for the contract on P. A. Norris' new home are to be opened today.

Hosmer Sift of Oklahoma City, transacted business in the city yesterday.

Sewing by the piece or by the day. Mrs. J. E. Littlefield, 316 West 16th 300-64

Nick Heard went to Francis Tuesday morning to spend the balance of the week ascending taxes.

Mrs. J. M. Settle returned Tuesday morning to her home at Frisco after a visit to Mrs. Nick Heard.

Miss Inez Cameron returned Tuesday morning to her home at Henryetta after a visit to her sisters here.

Mrs. E. T. Wetherington is attending the state Woodmen Circle meeting at Hobart. Mrs. Wetherington is assistant manager of the state organization.

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BIG BASEBALL GAME BILLED FOR TUESDAY

Next Tuesday afternoon Ada people will have an opportunity to witness a real ball game, The Topeka, Kansas, team of the Western association will be here on that day to play the Ada Elks team. The Kansans are real leaguers and play fast ball, and the Ada boys in the next few days are going to finish putting on some frills that will make the local cots a likely bunch of players.

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LYCEUM COURSE SECURED FOR FALL AND WINTER

At a recent meeting of the council of the Epworth League a contract was signed with the Redpath Lyceum Bureau of Dallas, Texas, for a good lyceum course for next fall and winter. It is made up of five numbers, the first attraction being due some time in October. The following have been secured: Packard, artist; M. Beryl Buckley, reader; Ralph Parlette, lecturer; The Cadets, musical; The Cathedral Choir.

North Ada Baptist Sunday School.

Sunday school every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. J. M. Rabon, Superintendent.

We have a good Sunday school, but we are not satisfied. We want to make it better. There is always room for improvement. Bro. Graves presented each pupil present last Sunday with a nice Eastern present. Many thanks Bro. Graves. May Heaven's smiles be upon you at all times is the wishes of the entire Sunday school. We would be glad to see a large number of new members out next Sunday. Father, mother, come with your children to Sunday school. Help to make this the best Sunday school we have ever had. We need you, come and get in line, it will do you good. Harold Jones is in the lead for the testament of the second Sunday in May. The subject of our next lesson is "Our Missionary." Every one should be interested and enjoy this lesson.

Sunday school closed by singing "There is Sunshine in My Soul," after which we went to the Methodist church and enjoyed an excellent Easter program that was carried out at that church. (About 1.30 o'clock in the afternoon class No. 2 of the Baptist Sunday school went to the home of Mrs. L. Warr where an egg hunt was enjoyed. Miss Maud Grady finding the largest number of eggs received the prize, after which she made us a nice speech and then Miss Ruth Collins played the organ and they all joined in singing the song, "Little Sunbeams," after which they all departed for the B. Y. P. U.

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Negroes Removed Account Threats. Ardmore, Okla., March 25.—To avoid a threatened lynching, four negroes were brought here from the Love county jail Monday and will be held pending orders of the court in which they were convicted.

They are Susan Gaines, an aged woman; Roy and Lawrence Gaines, her sons, and Walter Willis; two of whom are under death sentence, one sentenced to life imprisonment and the other will receive a possible life sentence Tuesday.

The four were recently convicted in Love county of having murdered W. A. Anglin, a wealthy Love county ranchman, and Vinnie Gales, daughter of Susan Gaines.

Anglin was waylaid, dragged from his buggy and choked to death, after the quartet had robbed him of \$50. His body was thrown into a small creek. Vinnie Gaines was subsequently killed to prevent her revealing the secret of Anglin's death.

The killing occurred in July, 1911, but was not known until January of this year.

NORMAL NEWS.

(By Moke Cassidy.)

In the absence of Pres. Briles, Prof. R. G. Sears of the History department is acting president.

Pres. Briles is attending a session of all presidents of the normal schools at Oklahoma City. The purpose of this meeting is to fix the appropriations for the next two years.

Miss Blanche Rushing is barely able to get around on account of the la grippe.

To get more harmony out of the students Miss Hindman, instructor, is having the school divided into their respective voices.

Yesterday was perhaps the best day we have had for base ball practice. Coach Little had the squad working from 2 o'clock until after 5. The boys are showing up well.

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POLITICS AND POLITICIANS

President Wilson will be the guest of honor at the Gridiron Club dinner April 12.

Colonel Roosevelt is to attend a Progressive conference in Albany, N. Y., March 28.

Three of the last seven presidents of the United States were sons of ministers—Arthur, Cleveland and Wilson.

Henry F. Hollis is the first Democrat New Hampshire has sent to the United States senate in more than sixty years.

John I. Martin, of Missouri, sergeant-at-arms of many Democratic conventions, is slated to be sergeant-at-arms of the United States senate. For the second time within six months the voters of Michigan are to be given an opportunity on April 7th to pass on a proposed woman suffrage amendment.

Congressman Richmond P. Hobson is about ready to begin his active campaign for the seat of United States Senator Joseph F. Johnston

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GAS FRANCHISE IS RENEWED

The city authorities have renewed the gas franchise to the Ada Oil and Gas Co. for a period of eighteen months with the provision that the company is to begin active work of development within six months.

This company's leases are on land west of town and include the well which has already been put down west of the cement plant and which showed a flow of 4,000,000 feet of gas daily. All together the company holds leases on about 6000 acres of ground and they are hopeful of striking something worth while before their lease expires. The Ada Oil and Gas Co. is made up of more than one hundred shareholders all of whom are local people, with A. L. Beck as president.

As the renewal of the franchise requires active operations within six months from March 7, 1913, it is almost a sure thing we will see something doing in the oil and gas line before long.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

D. A. Lawrence returned to Holdenville Tuesday after visiting at the home of J. A. Laughlin.

Leslie Maxey went to Holdenville Tuesday on professional business.

The Sharpshooter.

The Wednesday afternoon Bridge Club meets with Mrs. P. A. Norris tomorrow.

Miss Mary and Clyde Price visited at Madril from Saturday until Monday evening.

Mrs. J. C. Cates who has been quite ill for several days, is reported better today.

J. B. Hobson, a prominent stockman of Roff, changed trains here Monday afternoon en route to Coalgate.

Nicely furnished room and board for two. Close in \$20 per month. Apply at News office. 298-31

There will be revival services at the First Methodist church this evening at 7:45. The interest is growing. The public is cordially invited.

GENUINE RHODE ISLAND REDS—Eggs \$1.50 the setting of 15. Mrs. A. M. Bailey, 260 14th and Rennie. Phone 218.

Fred Goss who has been at work at the Frisco depot, left Tuesday for Dallas, Tex., to take a position with the Western Union Telegraph Co.

Dr. Enloe left Monday morning for Oklahoma City to attend the Dental Association and take a post graduate course in dentistry. He will be out of his office until April 1. 299-31

W. M. Cooper stated Tuesday that the brick plant is running on full time now and that they are shipping brick in great quantities.

J. C. Carroll visited a day or two at the home of his daughter, Mrs. R. W. Simpson, leaving Monday evening.

County Attorney Roland went to Oklahoma City Monday evening to take up the matter of the Oklahoma Central tax case. The O. C. has offered to compromise the case, but its figures are three thousand dollars below what the county authorities think a fair compromise basis.

Pres. C. W. Briles left Monday afternoon for Oklahoma City to meet all the other normal school presidents of the state in consultation with Hon. Wm. Durant concerning school appropriations. The teachers will also take up the revision of the course of study for state schools. From the capital city Pres. Briles will go to Tahlequah to attend the intercollegiate debate between the normals of Ada and Tahlequah. Ada will be represented in the contest by Virgil Riddle and Alonzo George.

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The Business of Government.

The new chief executive of Illinois upon taking the gubernatorial chair, made the following request: "All now holding offices within the gift of the governor will tender their resignations to me without further suggestion from me. * * * This is a democratic administration."

That is the pure Jacksonian view of the business of government, which has obtained in this country for two generations. It implies that no special aptitude, no training, no experience, no particular ability whatever is needed to carry on the work of a government. One man can do it quite as well as another. It is a view derived, of course, from frontier times, when nearly all men were more or less jacks of such few and simple trades as there were—could carpenter a little, or tinker a little, or set a horseshoe, in the intervals of plowing and building fences. In those times steady, salaried jobs were exceedingly rare and much desired. Hence those within the gift of the government were apportioned among the faithful.

It is easy to account for the spoils system in Jackson's pioneer day, but impossible to apologize for it now. Though everything else becomes more and more specialized, government is still in the simple jack-of-all-trade frontier state.

Its business is conducted on rail fence and stage-coach principles. One able-bodied man can do it as well as another. The theory is that the business of government requires no particular experience or ability—and it does not get any to speak of.—Saturday Evening Post.

The Sharpshooter.

Mr. Weaver improves. Ous Weaver continues to improve satisfactorily at the general hospital, and while the date of his probable release from close confinement to his bed cannot be definitely forecasted, it is hoped that it will not be as long as at first anticipated.—Shawnee News-Herald.

Mrs. Josephine Sparks of Shawnee came in Tuesday to visit her daughter Mrs. P. A. Norris.

J. F. McKeel is at Coalgate today on professional business.

Mrs. T. J. Smith, wife of our former sheriff and who has been visiting at the home of A. L. Miles, was called to Roff Tuesday on account of the illness of Everett Deaton's child.

Negro's Troubles End on Gallows.

Brookhaven, Miss., March 25.—When the trap was sprung under Nathan Jacobs here today, an end came to the days and nights of fearful hallucinations with which the condemned negro had been terrorized ever since he learned that he was to be hanged. Jacobs confessed to a cold blooded murder. He had killed an aged negro while the latter was kneeling in prayer. When taken to the death cell all the superstition and fear of his nature were aroused. For hours at a time the negro prayed to be freed from ghostly forms he imagined were clutching him.

Does Friendship Do This?

"It may be true for some natures, as Leonardo said, that 'if you are alone you belong wholly to yourself; if you have a companion, you belong only half to yourself.' but it is certainly not so with me. With me friendship never divides; it multiplies. A friend never makes me more than I am, better than I am, bigger than I am. We two make four, or fifteen, or forty."—American Magazine.

Eyeglass Screws.

If the tiny screws that hold your eyeglass lenses in place will not stay tightened and you are far away from a jeweler, tighten them with a pen knife and drop a bit of glue on them. When this hardens the screws will not work loose for many weeks.

Mean Fling at Preacher.

To keep the members of his congregation from enjoying poor health, an eastern preacher has his services printed and sent to them when they are too sick to attend church.—Toledo Blade.

Thrift.

Thrift has its roots in self-denial. It is in no way identical with avarice, though the spendthrift may denounce every practice of frugality as a "miser." It is the practical outcome of that prudence which aims at accomplishing great things by humble means. Without it the world in which we live would still be an "unweeded garden."—Rochester Post-Express.

Proves Antiquity of Humanity.

Prehistoric human footprints have been discovered in slabs of sandstone in a quarry at Warrnambool, Australia. Their age is estimated at 60,000 years.

He Can't See.

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We keep in stock and sell all the well known skin remedies. But we will say this: If you are suffering from any kind of skin trouble, eczema, psoriasis, rash or better, we want you to try a full size bottle of D. D. D. Prescription. And, if it does not do the work, this Ramsey Drug Company, Phone 6, A

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We have made fast friends of more than one family by recommending this remedy to a skin sufferer here and there and we want you to try it now on our positive no-pay guarantee.

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MARYLAND PROGRESSIVES TO GO IT ALONE

Baltimore, Md., March 25.—Leaders of the Progressive party in Maryland are rounding up in Baltimore for their state convention tomorrow. Ever since the November election the Roosevelt followers have been busily at work on their district and county organizations. Tomorrow's convention will perfect a permanent state organization and in addition it will map out a program for the future.

The party leaders have already decided definitely against any amalgamation with the republicans. This decision of the Progressives to reject all fusion plans and stand as a separate political organization has disappointed the "harmony workers" on the republican side. Maryland will soon be called upon to select two United States senators and with the democrats divided into two bitterly hostile factions it was believed in some quarters that a united republican party might have a show of success. But these hopes have gone aglimmering with the decision of the Progressives to go it alone.

But the most of the Republican leaders take the situation philosophically, and content themselves with the thought that the progressives without the republicans are just as helpless as the republicans without the progressives. Meanwhile the organization and anti-organizations wings of the democratic party are preparing for the battle of the September primaries. The faction which wins in the primaries will have the naming of the two United States senators.

Strike of Council Is Over.

Crown Point, Ind., March 25.—The Lake County council, which has been on strike for more than a month because the members could not increase its pay of \$10 a year, met here today ready to resume business. Finding that following their election they had to pass on appropriations

of several million dollars annually and that it took much of their time, the councilmen increased their own pay, but a peremptory order from the state accounting board caused the resolution to be rescinded. Since then the council has been on strike and no appropriations have been made.

A good treatment for a cold settled in the lungs is a HERRICK'S RED PEPPER POROUS PLASTER applied to the chest to draw out inflammation and BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP to relax tightness. You can get the two remedies for the price of one by buying the dollar size Horehound Syrup; there is a porous plaster free with each bottle. Sold by Ramsey Drug Co.

Many Cases Thrown Out.

Port Worth, Tex., March 24.—Judge Swayne of the Seventeenth District Court carried out his previously expressed intention today by dismissing 164 cases for want of prosecution which had been on the docket more than a year.

Judge Swayne lays the blame for the congested dockets on the attorneys and says if they would get ready for trial when necessary, there would be fewer delays.

Among the cases dismissed today were fifty-one divorce suits, which had been pending a long time. In some instances the parties to these suits had become reconciled after the cases were filed and never paid any further attention to them.

Destructive wind storms from Lakes to Gulf confirm Foster's prediction that 1913 would be the worst in history. Tornado Insurance is cheap in the big companies represented by Ebey and Harrison Bros. 298-31

A runaway team enlivened things on East Main late Monday afternoon, tearing down a few gallery posts and spreading consternation generally.

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Get a small bottle anyway, just to try it—Apply a little in the nostrils and instantly your clogged nose and stopped-up air passages of the head will open; you will breathe free; dullness and headache disappear. By morning! the catarrh, cold-in-head or catarrhal sore throat will be gone.

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penetrates and heals the inflamed, swollen membrane which lines the nose, head and throat; clears the air passages; stops nasty discharges and a feeling of cleansing, soothing relief comes immediately.

Don't lay awake tonight struggling for breath, with head stuffed; nostrils closed, hawking and blowing. Catarrh or a cold with it's running nose, foul mucous dropping into the throat and raw dryness is distressing but truly needless.

Put your faith—just once—in "Ely's Cream Balm" and your cold or catarrh will surely disappear. Gwin & Mays Drug Co., Ada, Okla.—adv.

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